

3731 *ew*Please Direct All Correspondence to Customer Number **20995****AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Applicant : Steinke, Tom
 App. No : 10/017,341
 Filed : December 13, 2001
 For : PROTECTIVE COATING FOR STENT
 Examiner : Thaler, M.
 Art Unit : 3731

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October 28, 2005

(Date)

Eric Ives, Reg. No. 50,928

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

(X) Amendment and Response to Office Action in 6 pages.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
Excess Claims	10 - 20 = 0	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Excess Independent	2 - 3 = 0	2201 (\$100)	0 x 100 =	\$0
Multiple Claim	1.16(j)	2203 (\$180)		\$0
1 Month Extension	1.17(a)(1)	2251 (\$60)		\$60
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$60

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above reference application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.